

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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FOR: PLUG-IN CONNECTOR FOR PIPE AND HOSE LINES WITH REINFORCED MATERIAL
CROSS-SECTION
ART UNIT: 3679
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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER § 1.111

Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed December 18, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listings of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.